CROKER WON'T GIVE THE WORD

BROOKLYN IS STILL WHOOPING IT UP FOR COLER.

It May All Be Left to the Convention Says McCarren, Solemnly—Grell Hope to Hear Something To-day -- Dayton, Nixon, Hopper, Nicell and Plenty More on the List for Mayor-The Squire Cool to the Losers in Queens.

Squire Croker of Moat House, Wantage, Berks, England, had all the members of the Tammany City Committee at his American seat, 617 Fifth avenue, last evening, to continue the discussion of the Mayoralty nomi nation, which was begun immediately upon is arrival in his tributary province early last month. Twenty-three members of the City Committee were at the meeting, and after they had been in session for a little while they decided to adjourn to to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. Deputy Police Commissioner York of Brooklyn, one of the McLaughlin members of the committee, was no t present, and ex-Senator John McCarthy took his place. The Squire watched the deliberations with his right-hand man, John F. Carroll, beside him, and smiled kindly on all of the gamekeepers who have been vigilant during his absence in keeping

the poachers off his preserves. While the City Committee was meeting Saddlerock Jimmy Boyle dashed out of the Manorhouse and came back in a few minutes with ex-District Attorney Delancey Nicoll. Sometime ago it was said that Mr. Nicoll had powerful backing for the Tammany nomination for Mayor, and that many corporations in which the Squire takes an interest favored his selection. After the meeting of the committee, however, it was said that he was not called to see its members.

While the committee was sitting a committee consisting of Richard Mueller, B. Meyborg and Capt. Louis Wendel, representing the German Democracy, called to urge the Squire to favor the nomination of Sheriff Grell for Mayor. They wanted an immediate answer. The German De-mocracy was holding a mass meeting in Terrace Garden on Fifty-eighth street near Third avenue and the Sheriff was presiding over it. Mr. Croker told the committee that he would let them know to-morrow but that at the time they spoke to him nothing had been decided upon.

Senator P. Henry McCarren of Brooklyn. ne of the representatives of ex-Register Hugh McLaughlin, who was present, said after the meeting that so far as he could see no one was ahead in the race for the nomina-

You understand that when, to use a bit of slang, the election of a party's candidate is regarded as a 'cinch,' said Senator McCarren, "there is always great eagerness for the nomination. That is the case this year. It may be said that we all regard the Tammany nomination for the Mayoralty as equivalent to an election. For that reason there are a great many candidates for the honor. From the beginring Mr. Melaughlin has stood firm r the nemination of Comptroller Coler.

"In all the conferences that we have held not an unkind word has been said by Mr. Croker about Coler. In fact, I may say that not an unkind word has been said against any of the score and more of gentlenen who have been brought forward. of them has been treated disrespectfully er has been in any way slighted in the con-

persations that we have had To-night I think that Comptroller Coler as as good a chance as anybody of geting the nomination. Some of the tomen present have advocated Mr. Daysome have advocated Mr. Nixon; and, in fact, every one of the gentlemen whose names have been given out at previous meetings of the committee has had is advocates. It looks to me now as though the selection of a candidate might be left finally to the delegates in the convention without any suggestion from this committee. We will decide on Wednesday evening whether this committee should make any recommendation, and, if so, what. From present indications I should say that the whole matter might be left eay that the whole matter might be left

when one of the group to whom he was speaking remarked, "That will be the first time." Then in answer to a question, he

The Kings county delegation will meet in carries on Thursday, I suppose. It uses a does ca cus before all conventions and a cut the unit rule. I assume that that course will be followed this year. I am not a delegate to the convention, and, so of course, I do not know exactly what will be done."

will be done."

The convention will be called to order by James J. Martin, chairman of the City Committee, who is the leader of the Twenty-seventh district. It became known yearerday that Congressman George B. McClelian of the Twelfth Congress district, who is one of the men on Mr. Croker's list of Mayoralty possibilities would be the permanent chairman. This was regarded as disposing of Mr. McClelian as a candidate for Mayor although Mr. Croker once compelled the nomination of David B. Hill for Governor in a convention presided over by Mr. Hill, for the express purpose of humiliating him. It was declared that Mr. McClellan might be nominated for President of the berough. The chief secretary of the convention will be Thomas F. Smith.

In the evening Mr. Croker was waited upon by a delegation consisting of District Attorney J. B. Merrill of Queens county. Petilip Cronin and President Frederick W. Bowley of the borough of Queens, to ask Mr. Croker's aid in overcoming Councilman Joe Cassidy, who runs Queens county Democratic politics to suit himconvention will be called to orde

ask Mr. Croker's aid in overcoming Councilman Joe Cassidy, who runs Queens county Democratic politics to suit himself in spite of the fact that Mr. Croker has designated Assemblyman Wissel as his representative in the borough.

The Wissel adherents tried to knock out Mr. Cassidy at the primaries by ringing in a "fake" ticket on the voters, but they weren't able to beat him even by mistake. Mr. Croker had very little to say to them. Mr. Cassidy says that he can hold his own against all hands all the time.

against all hands all the time.

It was announced yesterday that assistant District Attorney Maurice B. Blumenthal, who is at the head of the Tammany Speakers' Bureau and a candidate for the nomination for District Attorney, had informed Squire Croker that the Barkers' that the Barkers' than the Bar Association would make no objection to him if he were nominated by Tammany for District Attorney. Mr. Blumenthal's friends think that he has a good chance of getting the nomination.

When the Executive Committee met in the afternoon there was little for it to do except to receive the tickets and the badges for the City Convention, which will meet irsday evening in the Grand Central ace Fin Commissioner Scannell re-

To Washington in Fire Bours. New York, Repail film five from taking layer of Liverty Street 11 30 A. M., 100 P. M. and "Reyal Limited" too excess fare 2.40 P. M. et al. 100 M. M. 120, 100. P. M. and 1215 night. Leave South Perry minutes earlier. Unspecified desire and cale. ceived many congratulations on the fact that he had escaped trial on a defective indictment. President Nixon of the New East River Bridge Commission, was there and said, "I am not a candidate." Mr. Croker did not attend the meeting. When the tickets and the badges had been given out John F. Carroll, the head oiler of the machine, moved that the committee adjourn until 3 o'clock on Thursday after-

of the machine, moved that the committee adjourn until 3 o'clock on Thursday after-noon, when the leaders will be told whom they are to tell the delegates to nominate in the convention in the evening. Some said yesterday afternoon that they thought Mayor Van Wyck ought to be rethought Mayor Van Wyck ought to be re-nominated others said that they had heard that Isaac A. Hopper, the leader of the Thirty-first district was a candidate for the office and that ex-Postmaster Charles W. Dayton, who had recently made his peace with Croker and the Hall, was anxious to get the nomination. All of this was anxious beace with croker and the hall, was anxious
to get the nomination. All of this was regarded as very cheap talk, however. The
best informed leaders thought that no
one would know for a surety who the nominee was to be until it was made known on
the floor of the convention.

It will be remembered that in 1897 it

not until two hours before the conver that John C. Sheehan told the men bers of the Executive Committee who the nominee was to be, and that some of them had no time to tell the members of their delegations before the delegates entered the convention hall.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S PAV He Receives \$2,017.74 Salary for the Last Seventeen Days of September

WARRINGTON Sept 30 - A message was ent to the White House to-day with a check for \$2,017.74, to be handed to President seventeen days of September. A similar check, but for the amount of \$1.856.88, will be forwarded to the estate of the late Wil liam McKinley. There was some dis cussion at the Treasury Department as to the amount to be paid to President Roose velt and the amount to be paid to the McKinlev estate. It was agreed that, under the law, Mr. Roosevelt should receive pay for the last seventeen days of the month that is, beginning Sept. 14.

For a number of years the custom in the Treasury has been to pay to each President monthly one-twelfth of \$50,000 a year the only case in the Government service in which the regular salary table was in which the regular salary table was not followed. By this system President McKinley received 44,166.66 for two months in every quarter and 34,166.67 for the third month of the quarter, making the total for the quarter \$12,500 As September was the third month of the quarter, the salary for that month was \$4,166.67. Divided by thirty days the proportion going to President Roosevelt would have been \$2,361, and to the estate of the dead President, \$1,805.44. The auditor's office insisted on a division on the basis that President Roosevelt should receive 17-92 of the entire salary for the third quarter of the year, there being ninety-two days

of the year, there being ninety-two days in that quarter. This division gave the sums that were agreed upon.

Hereafter the regular salary book of the Treasury will be used in the salary payments of the President. This system will give different amounts each month. will give different amounts each month, according to the number of days in the month. For the fourth quarter the pay will be: October, thirty-one days, \$4,212, November, thirty days, \$4,076; December, thirty-one days, \$4,212. For the first quarter of next year the President will receive checks as follows: January, thirty-one days, \$4,305.60; February, twenty-eight days, \$3,888.80; March, thirty-one days, \$4,305.60.

WEST THROUGH THE FLUME. Two Workmen Have a Narrow Facant

From Death at Fall River. FALL RIVER, Mass., Sept. 30 .- Charles Sevigny and John Trembly had a most remarkable escape from instant death to day. Both are now at the hospital, Trembly with his back broken and little chance of recovery. They were employed in repairing the masonry of a flume at the Pocasset mills. The water in this flume comes from the Watuppa takes, passing under the City Hall and many mills, and furnishing power for some of the largest of the fac-tories. It is the stream from which the city

derives its name.

The masons were upon a coffer dam and it gave away, dropping them ten feet into the water. They were caught in the rush-ing waters and carried under the mill and over a dam constructed there to give the water force enough to turn the wheel of a mill further down stream. They went over the dam and upon jagged rocks four-teen feet below. Thence they were swept into a reservoir, in which they would have crowned quickly had they not been rulled drowned quickly had they not been pulled

out at once.

Trembly's spine was fractured in the lumbar region and he was terribly cut. Sevigny had five ribs broken and suffered. seeip wounds and internal injuries.

MISSING GIRL FOUND.

Stage Man Friend Arrested.

Maria Winifred Stevenson, the seventeen-year-old girl who disappeared from her home, 47 West Nineteenth street, a few days ago, was found in Newark last night and was taken home by her mother. Detectives Carroll and Long found her at the theatrical boarding house of Mrs. Halsey, at 340 Washington street.

She had bleached her hair within a week and had had a short engagement in a con-cert hall in Multerry street. The girl waturned over to her mother who took her

turned over to her mother who took her to New York.

June Stone of Louisville, Ky., who was with her, is held by the Newark police to await the action of the New York authorities. He is 25 years old, and is the son of Henry W Stone, a wealthy citizen of Louisville. The young man had in his pocket a letter written by his ather pleading with him to renounce his wild ways and come home. He takes his arrest calmly and the girl was flippent when turned over to her

mother.

The night the girl left her home she declared she was going on the stage although her mother had warned her that she might get in trouble if she did.

TWELVE-YEAR-OLD MURDERER. and Then Leaves Him to His Fate.

GLENS FALLS, N. Y., Sep. 30.-Lyman Holland, the twelve-year-old son of Fred Holland of Chester, thirty miles from here toward the Adirondacks, broke into a house and stole a double-barreled shot gun on Friday He then induced Benjamin, son of Frank Parker, a companion of the same age, together with a third boy, to go hunting with him. After going a short distance Holland stepped away about five rods from Parker, and without any provocation deliberately shot him. More than 150 bird shot penetrated his body, one or two piercing the lung and others the right eye, de ing the sight. The two boys then left him to his fate. He crawled part way home and was found several hours later by the family, who went to search of him. His life is despaired of. Holland is the pro-verbial bad boy of the town. He is now under arrest.

Withdrawal of New York and Atlantic City
Through Sunday Trains.
The through Nunday only express trains between
New York and Affacile City, via Festinglyania
Raftrond, leaving New York Tas A M and leaving
Atlantic City 5.50 P. M. were withdrawn on Sep-

ANOTHER WIVED WOMAN HALL

BOSTON GIRL IN MAN'S CLOTHES DIES AT SEA.

Charles Winslow Hall, Crack Rifle Shot Travelling With an Italian Wife, Was Beatly Caroline W. Hall-Passed as a Man for Years Here and in Italy.

Murray Hall, the Tammany woman who died last year after burying a wife, had something of an imitator among the cubin passengers of the Italian steamship Citta di Torino of the Veloce Line, which arrived on Sunday from Mediterranean and Azores ports. This was a delicate, blue-eyed beardless person, who, according to the ship's manifest, was "Charles Winsiow With him was a red-cheeked, oliveskinned Italian woman, about 34 years old She has big, lustrous eyes, and canno speak enough English to make hersel understood by an American. She was registered as Mrs. Giuseppina Hall, and said she was the wife of Charles Winslow Hall. Mr. Hall and his wife were constantly with each other on the voyage. They boarded the ship at Genoa on Sept. 9 Mr. Hall appeared to be over 30 years old

Mr. Hall evidently was an American speaking Italian with a decided trace of Yankee accent. He was "one of the boys, frequenting the smoking room as much as the gamest sport aboard ship and drinking more Italian wine and cognac than any other passenger. He told his fellow oyagers that he was a crack rifle shot and a painter. It was soon observed that he appeared to be a trifle unbalanced men-He was an able seaman, and, when others sought the seclusion of their cabins n stormy weather, he reported for meals.

The woman, who said she was his wife, put him to bed every night until the ship was within six days of Sandy Hook. Then he was unable to leave his berth and the ship's surgeons, Drs. Giulio Angrisani and Niccola Rann, were asked to look after him. Dr. Angrisani talked with the patient suspected that "Mr. Hall" was a woman

and verified his suspicion. Then the patient owned that she was Miss Caroline W. Hall of Boston. Miss Hall begged the doctor not to let any of the cabin passengers know that she was not a man. The doctor said none of them should know, but that he regretted to tell her that he would have to report the case to the skipper, Capt. Eugenio di Lauerello Miss Hall made the doctor promise to ask the skipper not to reveal her sex. The doctor did so, and the skipper told

doctor did so, and the skipper told no-body except his agents, Bolognesi & Hart-feld of this city.

Miss Hall never left her berth again alive. She failed gradually as the ship ran into colder latitudes. While the Citta di Torino was in Quarantine at 2:33 o'clock to romo was in Quarantine at 2.35 octock yesterday morning Miss Hall succumbed to consumption. Her death was possibly hastened by the inordinate use of stimulants, which, she had hoped, would keep

lants, which, she had hoped, would keep her alive until she reached the home of her old father in Boston.

As the Cita di Torino is from Naples, a port where bubonic plague has appeared, for body decided to take charge of the body of Miss Hall. It was removed to Swinturne Island, where an autopsy showed that Miss Hall had died of consumption.

sumption.

The woman who posed as Miss Hall's wife' is Miss Giuseppina Boriani of Milan. She speaks only a few words of English. She told the Italian doctors that she had met Miss Hall in Milan ten years ago and that they had become fast friends. Miss Hall held the opinion that petticoats were

in the way of an ambitious woman who wanted to see the world and she abandoned them for trousers.

She did many of the things that men do, including tippling and cigar smoking.

According to Miss Boriani, Miss Hall was an expert with the rifle and had taken part in several important matches in Italy and America. She was better known in Italy than elsewhere as a crack shot. She had often declared that she could not get a chance to do things unless she appeared in the dress of a man.

a chance to do things unless she appeared in the dress of a man.

She followed the hounds astride a hunter and took part in many kinds of men's games. It is said that she threw a ball, and also drank one, with masculine precision. She spent much time in Italy. Her mother, who died last year, often travelled with her and humored her whim. She had not seen her father, who is said to be wealthy, for nine years.

for nine years.

The Italian doctors of the Citta di Torino said that they inferred from Miss Boriani's talk that Miss Hall had "gone a little daft." She was an only daughter and long had been regarded by her kinsfolk as eccen-

Before Miss Hall died Miss Boriani caused a despatch to be sent to Miss Hall's father saving that she was very ill. In response Miss Boriani received this message from Albert G. Hall, dated, Boston Highlands: "Miss Carolina W. Hall, steamship Citta di Torino: Will be at steamer at 70 clock." It is a coincidence that there is in Boston a Charles Winslow Hall, lawyer, author and journalist, who is 58 years old, a graduate of the Harvard law school who married twice (his first wife having died); who was at different times the editor of several New England papers and has written several books of adventure and on military subjects. He served a year in military subjects. He served a year in

JAY COOKE SERIOUSLY ILL.

SANDUSKY, Ohio, Sept. 30. Jay Cooke, the noted war financier and banker, is critically ill at his summer cottage at Gibraltar Island. Mr. Cooke arrived at the island recently and his illness came as a surprise to his friends and relatives. On Sunday evening he retired at his usual hour, leaving word with his servants to call him at 6 o'clock on Monday morning. When a servant went to call him he could get no answer. Becoming alarmed, he summoned other servants and they entered Mr. Cooke's room. He was in bed and

unconscious.

Relatives and friends who comprised
the party at the island were summoned,
but all efforts to revive Mr. Cooke proved futile. A steamer was sent to the city for his physician, Dr. Gillard, and he arrived at the sick man's bedside shortly after the noon hour. After working with him for some time Mr. Cooke was restored to consciousness. For a long time he was unable to talk, but later in the afternoon he re-gained the power of speech.

Dr. Gillard said that while Mr. Cooke's fliness was serious, he would recover unless a relapse occurred. His sickness was diagnosed as congestion of the brain.

Miss Howe to Marry Mr. Lowe

ment was made to-day of the engagement of Miss Rhoda Emlen Howe of this city to marry Mr. William Lowe of New York Miss Howe is a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Howe, and granddaughter of the late Bishop Howe of central Pennsylvania. Her motner was Miss Fell

CHINESE PLAN OPPOSED. Collecting Money From Chinese Colonic Abroad Not Approved.

Special Caste Despatch to THE SUN.
PEKIN, Oct. 1.—There is increasing opposition, especially on the part of the British and Dutch Ministers, to the plan of the Chinese to send commissioners to the various Chinese colonies throughout the work to collect funds to aid in paying the inlemnity to the foreign Powers. Five of the Ministers chiefly concerned have ap-parently disposed of the matter by stating, in reply to Li Hung Chang's request that they issue passports to the commissioners. that they have not the power to issue suc locuments except to citizens of the coun-

There is a justifiable suspicion that the scheme involves blackmail and persecution in the future, when the information gained by the commissioners would enable corrupt authorities to force endless contributions. The Japanese Minister has asked Li Hung Chang for further information on the subject. M. Beau, the French Minister, has notified the Governor of Indo-China of the intentions of the Chin-

Admiral Kempff arrived yesterday to consult with Minister Conget

HOT ZULULAND BATTLE. British Loss Heavy and Boers Leave 300 Dead on the Fleid.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. LONDON, Sept. 30.—A despatch Durban, Natal, to the Central News gives details of the attack on Fort Itala, Zululand, which was reported last night by Lord Kitchener, who stated that Gen. Bruce Hamilton had inflicted severe losses on the Boers, who had attacked him in force. The correspondent of the Central News says the British lost Lieut. Kane and eleven men killed: Major Chapman, four other officers and thirty-eight men wounded and sixty-three missing. The majority of the latter are believed to have been killed or wounded. The British also had 240 horses and mules killed.

The War Office confirms the figures of the losses at Fort Itala, but does not indicate the fate of the sixty-three missing

An unofficial telegram from Eshowe states that the Boers left 305 of their comrades 'on the field. Another despatch from Ladysmith states that 200 Boers were killed and 300 wounded and captured

ACTIVITY OF THE BOERS

Fighting New in Cape Colony and Natal Commandes Growing. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN

COLOGNE, Sept. 30. Private news reeived here from Cape Town says the entire field of war has changed. All the fighting is now being done in Cape Colony and Natal while the Transvaal and Orange River colonies are quiet. There are nine commandes in Cape Colony, and they are growing rapidly in numbers. There is some idea that the Boers are making a concerted move toward Cape Town.

DISCLOSED BY NATIVE WOMEN. Authorities at Manila Told of a New Secret Filipine Society

Special Cable Desputch to THE SUN! MANILA, Sept. 30. Native women who hearts have disclosed to the authorities public severely condemns the strikers for the existence of a new Katipunan society in the Province of Tarlac. The constabulary has crippled the movement by arresting the civil Presidente, the leader of the movement, and many of the recently armed native police. Other discoveries of a similar nature have been made at

GERMAN MISSION BURNED. hinese Outbreak in Kwangtong The

Missionaries Escape Special Cable Desputch to THE SUS Hono Kono, Sept. 30. The German mission at Piangthong, northeast of Kwangtung, has been attacked and burned by natives, who, it is believed, were members of the society known as the Triad. The nissionaries escaped.

AMERICAN HURT IN ITALY.

Special Cane Despatch to THE SUN ROME Sept. 30. An unknown person hrew a stone to-day at a train which was passing near Monterondo. The missile struck Miss Grace Lowe, an American, and seriously hurt her, but it is expected that she will recover from the effects of her

AGAINST LOW GERMAN TARIFF hamber of Commerce Representatives Discuss Government's Proposal.

BERLIN, Sept. 30. An important meeting of 140 representatives of the Chambers of Commerce of the Empire was held to-day to consider the Government's tariff proposal. The adoption of a minimum tariff on cereals and other commodities was almost unanimously opposed.

Prince Chun at Munich. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN

MUNICH, Sept. 20. - Prince Chun, the head of the expiatory mission to Germany, who is on his way back to China, arrived here to-day. He was entertained by the Privy

Fatal Explosion of Torpedo Boat's Boller. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. ALGIERS, Sept. 30.—The hoiler of a French

torpedo boat exploded ten miles out at sea to-day. One member of the crew was killed hands were well, but both vessels had to report damages sustained in the gale. Now that the anxiety for the Mary E. Luckenbach's tow is over, a new cause and two injured. French Ministry's Record Special Cable Defautch to THP SUN

PARIS, Sept. 30.—M. Waldeck-Rousseau's Ministry to-day outstripped the record of service of any previous Cabinet of the dency of M. Thiers, which held the record for length of service, remained in office for two years and ninety-seven days. The American Wax Match Company filed

articles of incorporation yesterday with the Secretary of State of New Jersey Ita object is to manufacture wax matches in competition with the imported article. Its capital stock is \$125,000, all paid in, and a plant will be erected at once in or near lersey City.

MORE SHOOTING IN 'FRISCO.

SPECIAL POLICEMAN FIRES ON CROWD OF STRIKERS.

Two Hit -- Men Were Attacking Him for Guarding a Non-Union Teamster's Horses-Machinists Going Back to Work-Strike Appears to He Near an End - Public Condemnation.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 30.—Another shootng affray growing out of the strike took blace this afternoon at Seventh and Howard streets. Two strikers were shot by a special policeman and were sent to hospitals have their wounds dressed

E. W. Gentry, a non-union man, was iriving a team when the wagon stalled He got off his seat and went to a telephon to ask for assistance. He left a special policeman in charge of the team and several men, who are said to have been union teamsters, approached the officer. One of them said: "This is a good time to soak One him." Thereupon the special policeman drew his revolver and fired on the crowd wounding Chris and John Ryan, strikers Chris Ryan was taken to the Central

stated that he was a spectator of the fight and took no active part in it. The police will prosecute at least two of the strikers who were responsible for bringing on the bloody street battle early Sunday morning. They are Peter Johnson and William Tate. The matter will be submitted to the Grand Jury in order to

Hospital by friends. He has a large wound

in the groin and numerous contusions.

take the case out of the police courts, where all strikers charged with assault have fared easy, most of them being discharged by police justices who are playing to get the labor vote. The strikers are growing very ugly as they see that they are losing the long fight. The strike of machinists will soon be ended

Thirty-five shops were open last week,

and to-day this number was increased by

In the National Iron Works twenty-five men took up their work where they left it five months ago. The men will be paid according to the old schedule, but will work only eight and a half hours a day At the Risdon Iron Works ten of the old men returned to work to-day. It is asserted no agreement was made as to wages, but the men went back to work as if there had never been a strike Three smaller shops reemployed their old men this morning Each shop made terms directly with its employees. It is believed that a dozen or more establishments will reopen tomorrow with their former workmen.

Those who have followed the strike since its inception look upon it now as ended to all practical purposes and prelict that all the strikers will be at work within wo weeks On the waterfront there was no especial change in the strike situation to-day. The streets were clear of union pickets and more free of disorder than at any time since the strike began. No courtesy is now extended to strikers. and police regulations are so vigorously enforced that business is moving prac-

tically without interruption.

The officers of the Draymen's Association assert that members of the organization are handling merchandise as rapidly are desirous of saving their soldier sweet- as it is delivered to them. The general the violence they have displayed and the Examiner comes in for a large share of this censure as its stimulus has kept the strike alive for weeks. Without its encourage-ment the strike leaders would have been unable to prevent their men from returning

GOEBEL SEES GOV. DURBIN.

Extradition of Taylor INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 30.—Arthur Goebel, brother of the murdered Kentucky State

Senator, called upon Gov. Durbin to-day to learn what action he had taken on the requisition for the extradition of former Governor W. S. Taylor and Charles Finley, charged in that State with complicity in the murder. The Governor informed Mr. Goebel that he had reached a decison but before it was announced Goebel asked

The Governor assented, and he asked if the Governor had read the record of the Powers trial, which was submitted to him on Saturday, Gov. Durbin replied that he had not. He was then asked if he would not consent to read it before giving a final decision. After some hesitation ne said he would. The final question was:

"If after reading the record, you are convinced that the evidence points to the guilt of Taylor and Finley, will you honor the requisition?"

The Governor did not reply directly to this question, but said he was not a lawyer used to weighing testimony. To this Mr. Goebel replied that he only wished him to study the evidence in the Powers case and reach an honest conclusion as to the guilt or innocence of Taylor and Finley; and, having done this, he was willing to leave the matter with him.

The Governor had decided not to honor the requisitions, but his promise will delay

his formal decision a week of ten days. LUCKENBACH TOW SAFE Another One With the Tug Richmond Is

Still Missing. PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 30 The barges Hamilton Fish and Gen. Knox, concerning which much anxiey has been felt since they broke away from the tug Mary E. Luckenbach on last Wednesday in a northeast gale, arrived in port this morning.

Luckenbach's tow is over, a new cause for uneasiness is the non-appearance of the ocean-going tug Richmond which, with the barges Mystic Bell, Belle of Oregon and Georgia, left Newport News for Providence at the same time that the Mary E. Luckenbach and her three barges departed. It is strange that she has not yet been reported anywhere. The tug and all three of the barges belong to the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, and have been running here steadily for years.

Tod Stean's Auto, 34,000 France

The General Appraisers announced yes terday a decision regarding an automobile imported from France by Jockey Tod Sloan.

The jockey said it was worth 30,000 france,
but the officials have appraised it and its
accessories at 34,000 france. Sloan has

New York Day at the Pan-American.
Call on any New York (entral or West Shore Tricket
great for particulars of the special for rate Scheta
Justice for New York Day, October 9th. Adv.

White Label Colspans Stool

AMERICAN FLAG TORN DOWN. It Had Floated at Half-Mast Over the

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—The Postmaster-General to-day received a letter from the Postmaster at Bingham, Ill., saying that the crepe-bordered American flag which, since the death of President McKinley, had floated at half staff high above the Post Office, had been torn down several nights ago and cut into shreds. The Postmaster asked the Department's advice as to what steps he should take toward to the apprehension of the "villainous scoundrels He was advised by the Postmaster-General that the matter rested with the local authorities of Bingham.

CLERK SHOT SELLING A PISTOL. Buyer Took a Look at Another Man's, and

Somehow It Went Off Joseph Baisano of 555 Union street, Brooklyn, came over the Bridge yesterday to purchase some supplies. Before starting he put \$300 in his pocket. The amount was larger than he was in the habit of carrying, so he slipped on a revolver. He screamed for help and ran into the open went to Jacob's hardware store at 2 Chathain Square and was being waited on by Tony Luido of 13 Marion street when another man asked to look at some revolvers. He asked Balsano's opinion of the one shown to him and the latter produced his own pistol, saying: "If you want a good gun get one like

As the stranger handed it back the weapon was discharged and the bullet hit the clerk in the left wrist. Balsano was arrested, but in the Centre street police court Magistrate Deuel

FIRST MEAT FOR LION CUBS. Regarded With Suspicion at First, but

Fully Appreciated on a Trial. The two lion cubs born this summer to Rosey, the German lioness bought from Hagenbeck's stock in Hamburg for the Central Park, received yesterday their first allowance of raw meat-a pound of roundsteak with bones for each cub. They were badly scared when the food was were badly scared when the food was thrown into their cage, but soon they picked up sufficient courage to sniff at it. They did so in a manner indicating great suspicion and the male cub hissed at the meat and showed his teeth like an angry cat. Finally they began to lick the meat. Then it was evident that they found it much to their taste, for soon they were tearing it up and swallowing it down in big lumps in the approved fashion of their

SPARS CLIPPED BY CYCLONE. American Ship Iroquois Had a Tussie With One Down the Coast.

The American ship Iroquois, from San Francisco, came into port yesterday with her mizzenmast gone seven feet from the deck, her maintopmast carried away and her sails torn to tatters. She got mixed up with a West Indian cyclone on Sept. 9. and, while trying to weather it, lost her spars. She encountered another swirler five days ago off Hatteras and her canvas went flying down the gale, torn from bolt ropes and ripped from yards. The steamer ropes and ripped from yards. The steamer Crescent picked her up and towed her to Sandy Hook, and then two tugs hooked on to her and brought her into Quarantine

NABBED FOR \$5,000 LARCENY. George !! Whittemore Arrested in Milton,

Mass. Wanted Here. POSTON, Sept. 30 .- Ceorge H Whittemore, 4. years old, was arrested in Eaton quarters men for the police of New York city. He is wanted there for the larceny of \$,000.

Capt. Titus wouldn't tell last night just what Whittemore was wanted for. Another arrest would be made in the case, the captain

said and till that had been made he couldn't give details of the theit. SUICIDE WROTE TO THE CORONER. Then Killed Himself With Actd on the

Grass in the Park A man about 38 years old was found dead yesterday afternoon on the grass In the Park near the Central Drive. An empty bottle labelled carbolic acid was near him and his lips were burned by the seid. He was fair, 5 feet 7 inches tall, and wore a gray suit, black and white striped shirt, and black derby hat. In his pocket was a letter addressed to the Coroner which opened. The body was taken to

PERUS VICE-PRESIDENT HERE With Other Delegates to the Pan-American

Among the passengers who arrived last night from Colon by the steamship Allianca were Dr. Isaac Alzamora, Vice-President of Peru and Drs. Albert Elmore, President of Peru and Drs. Albert Elmore,
Juan Osma Sunon Gras and Pedro Davalos,
the Peruvian commission to the Pan-American Congress at Mexico city Among the
other passengers were Dr. Francisco A
Reyes, Minister of Foreign Affairs and
Commissioner from Salvador to the PanAmerican Congress. Dr. Reves is accompanied by his secretary, Miguel F. Maiena, and by Manuel Melendez

LIFE CRUSHED OUT UNDER CAR. Three Blocks Before It Stopped.

A negro who tried to board a rapidly moving southbound Sixth avenue surface car at Twenty-sixth street early this morning was knocked down and carried under the car for nearly three blocks before the motorman stopped the car. When the negro was pulled out he was dead. The ambulance surgeon, who was called, said that nearly every bone in the man's body

MR. ROOSEVELT'S CHURCH. Reformed Church to Ask for \$30,000

Enlarge the Washington Building. Pirrssung, Pa. Sept. 30. The Board of Missions of the Reformed Church of the United States met here to-night and decided to issue an appeal to the synods of the Church for \$30,000 to rebuild the Grace Reformed Church in Washington, which President Roosevelt attends. The board hinks the present church building is too

Ike Vall, Con. Man, Clapped in Jali Again Ike Vail, the old time confidence man, vas gathered in by Central Office Detective Tiernan last night and locked up on suspicion. He said he was now an honest speculator and was living at the Everett House To judge by appearances he hadn't found honest speculation as profitable as his ancient deals in gold bricks, Con-federate bills and imaginary mines

MISS LEMLY BURNED TO DEATH

TERDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1901. Fair to-day and to-morrow; light variable winds.

SISTER OF THE PROSECUTOR IN SCHLEY CASE LOSES HER LIFE.

Was Baking a Cake in Her Sister's House In Salem, N. C., When Her Dress Caught Pire Was Burned So Severely That

Her Injuries Caused Speedy Death. RICHMOND, Va., Sept. 30 .- Miss Laure Lernly, sister of Judge Advocate Samuel C. Lemly, now engaged as chief counsel for the Government in the Schley Court of Inquiry, was burned fatally at the house of her sister, Mrs. C. B. Brooks, in Salem, N. C., this afternoon, and died shortly

afterward from the terrible injuries. Miss Lemly was in the kitchen baking a fruit cake for her friend, Mrs. W. A. Lach of Greenboro. In lifting a plate from the stove her dress came in contact with the fire and ignited. She tried at first to put the fire out with her own hands but the flames burned her so severely that she air. Mrs. Brooks ran to her assistance, but lost valuable time in returning for a rug. She wrapped it around the her eister. It was too small and she returned for another. By this time Miss Lemly was on the ground, her clothes

burning flercely. Mrs. Brooks succeeded in extinguishing the flames and then found that she was also aftre, but assistance was at hand and though painfully burned she was not injured dangerously.

Miss Lemly's body was charred and blistered from head to foot. Her hair was burned away and her face disfigured. The physicians said that her case was hopeless and morphine was administered to deaden her sufferings. She was conscious

and told how the accident occurred. Miss Lemly was also a sister of President W. A. Lemly of the Wachovia National Bank in Winston-Salem, and was very popular, being prominent in society and church affairs

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30 - It was not de termined to-night whether there will be any postponment of the sessions of the Schley Court of Inquiry on account of the sudden death of the sister of Judge Advo-cate Lemly at Winston-Salem, N. C. to-day. Capt. Lemly's train left Washington before he could communicate with mem-bers of the Court of Inquiry and he will not see them until the court meets to-mor-row. As he will be too late for the funeral court may hold no session as a mark of sympathy with its legal adviser.

FOR FEWER ELECTIONS.

Gen. Wood Sends a Suggestion to the Cuban Constitutional Convention.

Special Cable Despatch to THE HAVANA, Oct. 1 - Gov.-Gen. Wood has written to the Constitutional Convention saying that the election law prepared by that body is good except for the fact that the number of elections provided for might interfere with the agricultural interests of the island. He therefore suggested that the number be reduced to two, one a general election to be participated in by the people, in which all officers and electors shall be chosen, and the other to choose the electors who will elect a President and Senators. Gen. Wood also save that it is the function of the government of intervention to hand over the government of the island to the duly elected Cuban repre-

nmends that the convention suggest to him the names of five members of the convention to form a commission to take the place of the convention with regard

to the elections A number of the delegates met and considered the letter, which was accepted,

but there was not a quorum present The leading revolutionist politicians have issued a manifesto to the country recommending Senor Tomas Estrada Palma as a candidate for the Presidency. They also recommend Senor Palma's recent letter setting forth his views as the programme

of his supporters AMBULANCE MEN WERE SUPPING. So a Woman Ill of Typhold Fever Walted

Two Hours for Removal. Roosevelt Hospital was arked about & o'clock last night to send an ambulance for Mrs. Bessie Devine of 353 West Fiftyninth street, who was suffering from typhoid

fever and should be moved immediately.

The policiman on the best who sent in the call was told that the ambulance men were at supper, but an ambulance would be sent to the house as soon as possible.

The policeman waited outside the house for about an hour and a half. Then, as the ambulance had not arrived he communi

ambulance had not arrived he communicated the circumstances to Police Headquarters. The reply he received from the hospital, he said, was:

"We can't respond to that call until after supper. Then we will have power enough to take the case to Bellevue."

Two hours elapsed before the ambulance arrived, according to the people in the house. It took the woman to Bellevue. Her hushand has asked that she be received at

took the woman to believe. Her husband has asked that she be received at Roosevelt.

The superintendent of the hospital did not deny that there had been some delay in the case "But," he explained, "there was no particular need for hurry. Had it been an energency case it would, of it been an emergency case it would, of course, have been different. We were unable to take the woman into this hos-pital because our beds are all filled and we had no alternative but to send her to Believue. The surgeon's report shows that the ambulance was at Mrs. Devine's

FRENCH TO TEST OUR COAL. Cruiser D'Estrees Puts In at This Port

to Fill Her Bunkers The French cruiser D'Estrees, Capt. Suisse, which escorted the Duke and Duchess of York, who were aboard the Ophir, from Halifax to Quebec, put in at this port yesterday to fill her bunkers with coal. She will sail on Friday for the French West Indies and her engineer will make an effort to test the comparative value of Yankee coal as a steam generator.
His report to his Government may cause
it to fill up the bunkers of French warships
in North Atlantic waters with American

The D'Estrées is a stressheathed cruiser of the third class and has a speed of twenty knots. She carries a crew of 258, two 54-inch guns, four 38-inch guns and fourteen smaller guns. She has been on duty off Newfoundland.

William Walderf Aster tilves 650.000

LONDON, Sept 30 - Mr. William Waldorf Astor has denuted £10,000 to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children to initiate a fund for new offices.